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THE TRIBUNE HAS A LARGER BONA FIDE CIRCULATION AMONG SCRANTON BUSINESS MEN THAN ANY OTHER

MORTON IS A

Nothing But Death Can Prevent His Nomination at Saratoga.

MR. PLATT HOLDS THE RIBBONS

Other Candidates for Gubernatorial the Ticket-Chauncey Depew Will Make the Nominating Speech. The Best of Feeling Prevails in All Deliberations.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 17. VERY train today brought from a score to a hundred or more delegates and boomers, and the Spa by noon had put on's convention aspect. Summer guests who still lin-ger in the hotels and cottages were lost in the crowd of politicians who promen aded Broadway in squads and showed the ribbons of several of the candidates for the second place on the ticket. There are no Morton badges and no

The former would be too numerous and the latter too few. The hotel piazzas and corridors are filled with groups of delegates and camp followers earnestly discussing the situation.

That all believe this to be a Republican srmy of 20,000 men is said to have suryear in the Empire state is evident, and that fact may have something to do with the multiplicity of candidates and their refusal to let go even when all except those who have a bias can see that the ticket is practically settled.

There is a constant procession going and out of Cottage Seven at the United states, where Mr. Platt has his headquarters. He tells his callers that he has no interest in pushing the Wadsworth boom or the Haight boom or any of the other booms for second or third places on the ticket. All of the shouters for the other candidates brace search of votes.

Mr. Fassett said this morning that All of these candidates cannot prevent Levi P. Morton from being nominated on the first ballot, and few will be sur-prised if he is nominated by acclama-

FOR SECOND PLACE.

For lieutenant-governor Congress-man James W. Wadsworth is believed to be a certain winner. Senator Charles J. Saxton is still working for the place. George A. Aldridge is also hustling. George E. Green has decided to be satisfied with the presidency of the league of Republican clubs. Ar-Wade, of Jamestown, was given a fresh start today by the arrival of a score of his townsmen who are urging his clai-

's also said to be Commodor' olace. The conof Buffalo; Judge S A. nomin' Plattsburg: Jesse Johnson, of hooglyn, and Judge Pardon C. Williams, of Watertown. The indications are that Judge Haight will be

The ticket with Morton from Dutchess, Wadsworth from Livingston, and Haight from Erie, will be a geo-graphical combination hard to beat, and the supporters of other candidates

recognize this.

There is the best possible feeling here, and whatever the selections of the convention may be all factions may be counted upon to unite on the ticket Chauncey M. Depew is ex-pected to nominate Mr. Morton, and it may be that his eloquence and the haste of the delegates to get on board the band wagon may stampede the

BRECKINRIDGE WEAKENS.

Concludes to Abandon Trickery and Abide by the Result.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 17 .- The best information is that there will be no contest to the nomination of Mr. Owens, Colonel Breckinridge said to an intimate friend today that he would abide by the official count.

J. Watler Rodes, one of his backers, has proposed to pay a wager stating that he was satisfied of defeat.

POLITICS WHITTLED DOWN.

A Women's County Suffrage association has been organized in Lancaster. A city Republican league is being organized in Lebanon, Pa.

W. P. Bricker has been chosen chairman of the Lycoming county Populist commit-The American Protective association is moving its headquarters to Washington, D. C.

McKinley has been asked to speak in six-teen states, but will only speak in half s

Governor Altgeld has bis eye on the Illi-nois senatorship to succeed Shelby M. Cullom.

Ex-Senator S. R. Peale, of Lock Haven, Pa., refuses to consider a congressional

Altoons Democrats are making large preparations for the entertainment of the State convention of Democratic societies.

In Ohio's Democratic convention today a fight will be made by the Cleveland forces to discipline Senator Brice; but in-dications are that it will fail.

Ex-Lieutenant Governor Chauncey F. Black, of York, Pa., says Peter Strubinger will make a rousing cauvess for congress in the redoubtable Democratic Nineteenth

Ex-United States Senator Charles R. Buckalew, just nominated for congress by the Democrats of the Seventeenth Penn-sylvania district, is 73 years old, Con-gressman Galusha A. Grow is 71.

freer this day. It was a fierce, relentless race, but the honor of the state was involved, its virtue, manhood and Christianity. Let the church bells ring out, happy auguries be the prayers today, praise and thanks to God. A great disgrace has been averted. The good sense and integrity of the people of the Ashland district and of popular government have been vindicated."

RETURN OF FALCON.

Peary Party Sails from St. Johns for Philadelphia.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Sept. 17 —The steamer Falcon with the Peary expedi-Other Candidates for Gubernatorial
Honors in the Empire State Are
Not to Be Considered — Uncertainty Exists as to Second Place on tion sailed for Philadelphia at 3.30 this

All of the members of the expedition are in splendid health. The day is a charming one, making a splendid beginning for the voyage. The departure was witnessed by hundreds of citizens, who cheered lustily as the ship moved

JAPANESE VICTORY.

The Pigtails Trail in Dust on the Gory Fields of Ping

Yang.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 17.-Reports received here from various sources say that a great battle has been fought at Ping Yang, Kores, between the Chinese and Japanese troops. The battle is said to have lasted two days and rendered to the Japanese. The attempts of the American and British war correspondents to proceed to the scene of the fighting have been unsuc-

LONDON, Sept 17.—A dispatch to the Times, from Yokohama, today, says that news has been received there. from Hiroshima, says the Japanese have won a great victory at Ping Yang. The battle opened on Saturday morning at daybreak, with a direct can-nonade upon the Chinese works, and this fire was continued without cessation until noon. The Chinese fought up when they hear this, and go out in their guns well, replying effectively to

the Japanese guns. The flank attacks upon the Chinese he will stay even if he gets but one position did not develop any material vote. General Dan Butterfield is an advantage during the day, although other stayer. General Stewart L. the Japanese gained some advanced po-Woodford is also in the race. Judge sitions. But they mainly occupied the Leslie W. Russell's supporters declare same ground at night as when the atthat they will present his name, al-though he prefers to stay out, and is making no effort in his own behalf. In the meantime the two flanking columns of Jap anese drew a cordon around the Chineses troops, and at 3 o'clock in the boy, and one other, an engineer, name and would ask President John McBride to arrange another. mirable precision.

The Chinese lines, which were strong in front, were found to be weak in the rear, and the Chinese, utterly unsuspicious of the Japanese attack from that quarter, were taken completely by surprise, became panic stricken, and were cut down and bayoneted by the hundreds. So well was the Japanese attack directed that the Chinese were surrounded at every point, and event-ually sought safety in flight. Defeuding the entrenchments, however, were some of Viceroy Li Hung Chang's picked Chinese troops, drilled ropeans. These soldiers made a deter-mined stand to the last, and were cut

It is estimated that the Chinese lost ese are several of the most prominent troops in Kores, only a few of the found. Chinese commanders succeeding in es caping, and these got away almost immediately after the Japanese made their attack upon the Chinese real

STATE TOPICS PARAGRAPHED.

The Mahanov Valley fair will open on

Wednesday at Lavelle Luzerne county jail is so over-crowded that three prisoners sleep in a cell. oliday and business men's parade on Thursday next.

Owing to alleged irregularities in drawing jurors in Elk county, September court was postponed.

A purse containing \$700 was found at Strondsburg by M. Mosier, who soon dis-covered the owner. Leonard Ewing, of Reynoldsville, dropped

dead in a railroad station while waiting for a train with his wife.

Frank C. Wolf, of Philadelphia, is president of a shoe company that will build a large factory at Bethlehem. Elaborate demonstrations will attend

the dedication of the soldiers' monument at Williamsport next Thursday. Pittsburgers are chagrined because only 10,000 old soldiers paraded at the encampment in the Smoky City last week.

Jefferson county farmers have abolished horse racing at their annual fair and will substitute maneuvers of trained oxen. It is claimed that at its present rate of increase in fifteen years Allegheny City will be the metropolis of Allegheny county.

The peach crop from Chambersburg, Scotland and vicinity is abundant, the teal shipment amounting to 3,500 bushels daily.

Many veterinary surgeons of Pennsylvania will attend the national convention of horse doctors at Philadelphia, beginning today.

Burgiars dynamited the safe in Ludny's jewelry store, at Slabtown, Lycoming county, and stole several hundred dollars'

George Dukvocic, the Pittsburg mur derer, has been respited by Governor Pat-tison from Sept. 20 to Nov. 20. An in-quiry will be made into his mental condi-

A meeting of the York Christian En-deavor society was held yesterday to dis-cuss plans for entertaining the conven-tion of Endeavorers to meet there on Oct. 17. Not being able to get out of the Smoky City after the Grand Army encampment was over, George Conway, of North Con-way, N. H., cut his throat yesterday and may not not recover.

Anthony Shimer, of Phenixville, aged 75, shot and probably fatally wounded James Bradley late Sunday night. Bradlev usws of Breckinridge's defeat: 'The good people of Kentucky will breather Chester.

Factory.

FLAMES SPREAD WITH RAPIDITY

The Building Burns with Astonish ing Fury and Employes Are Forced to Seek the Roof and Jump for Their Lives-Four Unfortunates Are Unable to Escape-Much Valuable Property Is Destroyed-The Loss Will Probably Reach \$85,000. with the might's entertainment.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17. cIRE alarm at noon today called the fire department to the corner of Massachusetts avenue and K street, where fire had been discovered in the mattress factory owned and operated by Stumph & Bros. This was soon followed by a general alarm and in a short time all the engines in the city were on the scene, but so quickly did the flames spread that the operatives employed on the fourth and fifth floors were obliged to flee to the roof and compelled to jump for their lives before the trucks carrying the long ladders thad arrived. Four of these jumped, one of them, James E. Vaugho, sustaining fractures of both legs and internal injuries. He is not expected to live through the eight. The other three who leaped escaped with more or less severe injur-ies, but all will recover. Albert J. Haske had both legs broken and was otherwise severely injured. Arthur Bevans was bruised inwardly and had his wrist sprained, and Harry Bacon was badly bruised. So rapid and com-plete was the work of the flames that within less than half an hour from the time of their discovery the greater part f the four walls had fellen in, and by 2 30 o'clock the firemen had pulled down the sole remaining piece of brick work, over twenty feet in height which marked the location of the handsome four story structure which had stood

there two hours before. THE SEARCH FOR BODIES. By this time the spread of the flames had been checked and at 3 o'clock the and held out until work of searching the debris for the bodies of those who were known to The 1.200 emplo Henry Fowler, Phil Ackerman, Robert

It was not long before the searchers trance, every particle of clothing burned from the and the bodies charred beyond he of recognition, One of them, of smaller stature than the other two, is supposed to be the of the boy Asne. It was not until 5 30 that the searchers found another of the missing ones. This body was discovered within a few feet of the engine on the ground floor, and is presumably that of the engineer. The four bodies lie at the morgue tonight, one barely distinguishable from the other excep for the numbers placed on the charred

Darkness has added to the difficulties 16,000 men in killed, wounded and prisoners. Among the captured Chin bodies, but a new corps of workm-n is at work with the aid of lanterns, and commanding officers in the Chinese will continue the search until all are

OTHER BUILDINGS DESTROYED. The fire besides destroying the Stumph building consumed the Woodruff building, the factory where all the government files are made, and the falling walls of these buildings crushed Hall & Carmack's furniture house, Presbyterians at Warren are building a filled Renner's marble yard, and in jured the Hom-opathic Dispensary building, on the Massachusetts avenue side. On the K street side, Offenstein horse shoeing establi hment, an oyster hat three prisoners sleep in a cell. depot, and a milling occupied by a Shenandoah will have an industrial Gospel mission the Horse and Cattle Food company demolition . The loss on the Stumph building is in the neighborhood of \$50,000, insurance about \$15,000. The loss entailed by the destruction of the Woodruff building is unknown, and the other structures were mostly of wood and not very valuable. The entire loss will probably be about \$85,000. Insurance unknown.

YOUNG GRIFFO'S FEAT

He Severely Pupishes an Amsteu

Hoxer. CONEY ISLAND, Sept. 17.—Au unnu-ually clever bexing tournament took place at the Sea Side Athletic cinb tonight. It consisted of four bouts, ranging from six to ten rounds, as follows: Jerry Marshal vs. Kid Lavigne. ten rounds at 125 pounds; Jack Skelley vs. John Gorman, eight rounds at 125 pounds; Mick Dunn vs. Jim Butler, eight rounds at 150 pounds, and young Griffo vs. El Loeber, six rounds

at catch weights. The club building was crowded to night with spectators when the first of the four glove contests that between Dunn, who bails from Australia, and

Butler, of Brooklyn, begun.
The referree was Dominick McCaffrey. The men fought at 150 pounds and were to have fought eights rounds, but Dunn early showed his superiority and the bout was awarded him.

It was announced that ail events would be decided in scientific points, the police having declared that they would close the show if there were any

Everybody expected to see Loeber make a good show, but they were not recon-ciled to the crushing defeat the young Brooklynite was served at the hands of young Griffo. Dominick McCaffrey very humanely stopped the bout in the first round and awarded it to Griffo.

Loeber led off in good style, landing his left on Griffo's face. Loeber was only the aggressor a few seconds more, as Griffo went at him with a purely championship style and plugged the amateur right and left at will and made such a monkey of him that the crowd begau to shout: "Take him off."
At the end of the two minutes thirtysix seconds Dominick McCaffry stopped the fight and ordered Griffo the win-

ner.
The final bout of the night was between Kid Lavigne, of Saginaw, and Jerry Marshall, of Australia. The decision of the referee was that Lavigne was the winner. The decision met with the general approval of the house

DEATH OF A SOCIETY BELLE.

William Gilbert Held on Suspicion of Having Committed Murder.

BATTLE CREEK Mich , Sept. 17.—Mrs. Helen Taylor, uged 50 years, who at one time held a prominent position in society here, was found dead in her home on the outskirts of this city this morning. From the position of the body and marks on it, murder is sus-

For several months a man named William Gilbert has been living with the woman. After the woman's body was discovered Gilbert's actions were suspicious and he was arrested and will he held to await action of the coroner's

MINERS RESUME WORK

Fifteen Hundred Men Return at the Old Rates-Another Cut Expected.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 17. - The 1,500 miners employed by the New York and Cleveland Gas company at Turtle Creek, Plum Creek and Sandy Creek returned to work today at a 55 cent rate, after being on strike since April This was the price agreed upon by the company and their managers before the general strike was inaugurated, and was to hold out until Dec. 18 next. After the general strike the men refused to return at the old scale of 55 and held out until today for the district

The 1,200 employes of the Pittsburg Reitzel Tennyson, Willie Ashe, a little the operators who signed the miners' sheep among them enough to justify a scale of wages in this district would | veto, it will be some time before sheet

scale so that they could compete with appeal to court, so it is said, for an infound three bodies, close together, these large firms now paying 14 cents about fifteen feet from the K street enless than the scale rate.

The 200 miners employed by the Corey Coal company, at Braddock,

work today. NO CHANGE OF VENUE

Mr. Rickette Make, an Unusual Motion in the Feltz Case.

Attorney Agib Ricketts, representing Isanc B. Feltz, yesterday asked court for a change of venue in his suit against the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company and even stated that he had already began his action in Pike county.

In his petition Mr. Ricketts says that he is permitted to have a change of venue under an act of 1824 Judge Jessup, who represented the defendant company, held that the act was rendered invalid by the new constitution and an act of 1875, and he therefore asked that the motion be refused. Judge Edwards would not grant the change asked by Mr. Ricketts and the case will come up for trial at the appointed time.

Tho suit involves a tract of coal land in Lackawanna township of which Mr. Feltz is now in possession. The title is also claimed by the defendant com-

THE JENNINGS CASE.

Judge Edwards Refuses a Motion for Continuancy.

The case of John J. Jeanings against the Lebigh Valley railroad company was on the list for trial vesterday. terney Cornelius Smith asked for a continuance because Dr. Kelly, of Equiuunk, an important witness, could not be on hand.

Judge Elwards was inclined to think that the plaintiffs had not shown proper care in the service of the subpoens and he refused Mr. Smith's motion. The suit is for damages resulting to the father, owing to the sickness of his son, James Jennings, who was injured in the Mud Run disaster.

LEGISLATIVE CONVENTION

First District Democrats Nominate Man Today.

A call has been issued by the Demo-cratic committee of the First Legislative district for the convention in St. David's hall this afternoon at 4 o'clack, A candidate will be nominated for the legislature to oppose the present Re-publican representative, John R. Farr. There appears to be no opposition to the candidacy of Nelson Davies, a Delsware, Lickswanns and Western master mechanic, who at the last ward lection was defeated by one vote by James Evans, of the Fourth ward, for school controller.

W C. T. U. Moscow Convention

the police having declared that they would close the show if there were any signs of brutality.

The second bout was between Joe Gorman, of Long Island City, and Jack Skelley, of Brooklyn, at 128 pounds, for eight rounds. Skelley was the aggressor and forced the fighting from the start. The bout developed into a slugging match in the sixth round and the police stopped it. Skelly was declared the winner, as he had shown that he was the more scientific boxer of the pair.

The bout between Eddy Loeber and young Griffo was next announced.

W. C. T. U. Moscow Convention.

All local unions are urged to a large attendance at the Lackawanna County Woman's Christian Temperance union convention to be held in the Methodist Episcopal church, Moscow, Thursday afternoon and Friday of this week. Representatives of Loyal Legions and all interested in the work are cordially invited to attend. Entertainment will be provided and a profitable meeting is expected. Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman, of Kansas City, will deliver on address Thursday evening. The train leaving Delaware, Lackawanna and Western station at 9.50 a.m. stops at Moscow; the fast 12.55 train will also stop.

Pittston Councilmen Herolcally Refuse to Reconsider Their Recent Action.

CHARGES TO BE INVESTIGATED

Burgess Maloney Is Empowered to Employ an Attorney and a Stenographer and to Probe to the Bottom of the Accusations of Corruption-Mr. Tigue Repeats His Arraignment-Injunctions Proceedings Contemplated Against the New Pave.

> Special to the Scranton Tribune. PITTSTON, Sept. 17.

OUNCILMEN will be investigated. Their accusers will be hauled up to testify. Burgess Maloney will be the court. And asphalt will be the pave, unless legal proceedings knock it all out. Such, in brief, is the record of tonight's council meeting. Councilman Donnelly moved that the investigation be held, as he felt that he wished to be acquitted from any share in the odium cast by current accusations upon the honor of the official body to which he belonged. He wanted the burgess to employ a lawyer and a stenographer and to hold court. Conneilman Hennigan declared that he would testify before the advisory committee or before any other committee of citizens or before a regular court, but not before the burgess He moved to amend Mr. Donnelly's motion so as to make the tribunal of investigation a jury of citizens. The amendment was lost and the burgess was empowered; to go ahead. It is un-

derstood he will begin at once. Then Mr. Hennigan, who had last Thursday voted for asphalt so as to move a reconsideration, made the latter motion. Mr. Donnelly moved to table. The motion to reconsider was tabled, and asphalt there stands. The burgess, it is understood, will withhold his sig-nature to the ordinance pending the result of his investigation. There were some lively interchanges of personali ties during this session. Mr. Tigue repeated his assertions already reported in these columns and vowed he would yet bring the guilty ores to book.

NO ASPHALT YET AWHILE.

A leading operator today said that he shall conclude that there are black asphalt will adorn Main street. One of the taxpayers who favored brick will junction, upon the ground that the recent bond issue for paving purposes was illegal.

The bonded indebtedness of Pittston who have been on strike returned to borough is already about \$32,000, while its floating debt is about \$3,000 more. The assessed valuation of taxable property in the borough is \$769,000 Under the law which says that boroughs may not bond themselves to exceed 7 per cent. of their assessed valuation, this leaves a margin of only \$17,000 or \$18,-000 for new bonded indebtedness. asphalt contract, on the contrary, calls for \$85,000 in round numbers. This, it is said, will be the ground of a petition for a restraining order from court.

MR. FELLOWS SILENT

On the Rumor of His Independent Can-

didacy. Following the rumor of yesterday that Mr. Fellows would become an independent candidate for congress, that gentleman polite', declined to discuss

the matter. A paper petitioning Mr. Fellows to become a candidate has been circulated on the South Side and in Hyde Park for several days. More than pass-ing interest is attached to the matter view of an additional rumor that Mr. Merrifield, the Democratic candidate, proposed re-tiring in Mr. Fellows' favor. By this action it was assumed that the latter would be supported by Democrats and his Republican friends. Mr. Merrifield could not be found by

previous occasion he positively an-nounced his intention of remaining in the contest. TYPICAL SCRANTON PLUCK.

All the Fire Sufferers Will Resume Business. Matthews Bros., the wholesale and retail druggists who were burned out by Saturday's disastrous fire on Lackswanna avenue, have rented the building at 133 Franklin avenue adjoining M. Moses Bro. & Co. They will open their office in the building at once and

re-establish their business as rapidly as new goods can be received. The Gross, Foster Co. have several locations in view, but have made no definite choice. The other firms will begin business anew as soon as suitable quarters can be obtained.

BATTLE WITH RED PEPPER.

William Brost, a Newsboy, Is Committed to Court. William Brost, a newsboy of Pittston avenue, yesterday morning about 9 o'clock threw a handful of red pepper into the face of John Wilson, of Believue, in the same line of business,

with the result that Wilson was An officer took him to a drug store where, after considerable treatment, he was able to open his eyes. Brost was was arraigned before Alderman Fuller and in default of \$500 ball will be sent to the county jail to await trial.

ANOTHER COAL FIRM.

Mining Operations to Be Started by Bichmond & Lindsay.

A new coal firm, William Richmond and R. M. Lindsay, of this city, have

W. B. Geary, of Carbondale. An adjoining tract of fifty acres which has been leased from F. L. Phillips and J. H. Rittenhouse contains a breaker which has been operated by Hoole & Co. A new breaker will be erected.

The new firm will begin mining soon after the first of the year and ship their product over the Ontario and Western,

A CRIMINAL CAPTURED.

which will be reached by switch.

He Had Slashed a Woman's Throat

Year Ago. Philip Gioso, the Italian, who attempted to take the life of Mrs. Joseph Fennelli, or Ferview avenue, and who succeeded in inflicting a deep gash in her neck with a dagger Sept. 30, 1893, was captured at 3.10 o'clock yesterday afternoon while at work in a ditch in Green Ridge. After the crime Gioso left for parts unknown and had not been seen again until his arrest yesterday.

Gioso was captured by Constable

John Davies, of the Fourth ward. Mr. Davis had been on the track of Gioso for the past seven months. The criminal had shaved off his heard and used other means of disguising himself. He was brought to the West Side station house, after a severe struggle with the

officer to regain his freedom. Joseph Fennelli, the husband of the injured won, appeared against him in the court of Alderman Owen D. John. Gioso was committed to the county jail in default of \$1,000 bail to appear

IT MAY BE MURDER.

Ghastly and Unfilial Details of the Archbald Stabbing Affray-A Son's Brutality.

August Gavs, who was stabbed in a quarrel at Archbald on Saturday night, s sinking rapidly, and Dr. Van Doren, the physician attending him, says it is impossible for him to recover. body of the injured man is swollen and

There are ten large gashes, one for inches long, on the back of his head. There are five knife wounds on his body, the most dangerous of which are in the region of the lungs. All the wounds were inflicted while his assailant stood behind him. A reporter of THE TRIBUNE called at

the house of the wounded man last night and obtained further information concerning the affray. The version of those who witnessed it differs slightly from that published in yesterday's TRIBUNE The son of the injured man, It is said that whether the burgess shall decide that the councilmen are all father when he threatened to call in 510 and 512 Lackawanna Ave. honest, all honorable men, or whether police to suppress the quarrel then in

> An iron last was the weapon the inhuman son used. The blows felled the father to the floor and while he was down Jere Mashafskey stabbed him. As soon as the son saw his father bleeding he ran away and he has not been home since. Mashafskey was arrested by Constables McHale and Dougher and taken to the borough lockup. Later on he was remanded to

the county jail. The injured man was about 45 years old and had been living in Archbald about two years. The doctor says he will not live beyond five days.

A DAY FOR YOUNG WOMEN.

Entertainment Provided for Them at the Y. W. C. A.

Today will be a day of good things at the Young Women's Christian asso-ciation rooms. At noon Mr. Weedon, one of Mr. Moody's vocalists, will sing several selections and Miss Mary Dunn, state secretary of the Young Women's Christian association, will give a bright, interesting ten minutes talk. Young women admitted free of

charge. In the evening at 8 o'clock the lady prize singers will give a pleasing entertainment. The small admission fee of ten cents will be received. The following programms will be rendered:

Instrumental Solo (piano), Miss Minnie Weber "Coral Caves of Ocean," Recitation ... Miss Sadie Jones Solo ... Miss Hattle Evans Duet ... Misses Grace and Annie Rece Solo...."The Promised Land"

Miss Corn Phillips.
Solo....."Tit for Tat" TRIBUNE reporter last night, but on a

Solo......"Tit for Miss Clara Sanders. (a) "The Bridal of the Birds." (b) "My True Love Hath My Heart." Lady Prize Singers. URYSDALE SUICIDE VERDICT.

He Shot Himself While Suffering from Nervous Prostration. Coroner Kelley yesterday morning held an inquest on the death of Will-

iam Drysdale, who shot himself at Taylor on Sunday night. The jury returned a verdict that he committed suicide while suffering from nervous prostration.

A pathetic incident was observed by the jurymen, who saw a fine dog belonging to the deceased waiting patiently on the stoop of the closed store for his master and declined to follow

any one from the spot. SLIGHT FIRE IN GREEN RIDGE.

Flames Quenched Before Much Damage Was Done.

A small fire occurred at the Spencer Iron mill at Green Ridge about 2 30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Flames were discovered on the roo near the caves. General Phinney Hose company responded to the alarm and made short work of the fire.

damage was slight. Thanks to the Firemen. Matthews Bros. tender their thanks to the firemen who labored so hard to save their property from destruction on Saturday. Though unsuccessful their efforts were appreciated.

WEATHER FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17. - Fore-RAIN (cast for eastern Pennsylvania, showers, probably slightly cooler, variable winds. For western leased a coal tract of 164 acres in Fell showers, probably slightly cooler, township from Jacob Cohen and B. F. Squier, of this city, Charles R. and Arthur J. Wilson, of Omaha, and Mrs.

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